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| Application No.<br>10/620,326-Conf. #7955 | Filing Date<br>July 14, 2003 | Examiner<br>D. W. Underwood | Art Unit<br>3652           |

Applicant(s): Woodruff et al.


Invention: END-EFFECTORS AND TRANSFER DEVICES FOR HANDLING MICROELECTRONIC WORKPIECES

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